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In re: Takanori Kudo et al. Group Art Unit: 1752
Serial No.: 10/042,531 Examiner: Rosemary E. Ashton
Filed: January 9, 2002 Attorney's Docket No. 2002US303
For: NEGATIVE DEEP ULTRAVIOLET PHOTORESIST

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Examiner:

This is in response to the official action mailed July 3, 2003. Please amend as follows: Claims 2 and 3 have been deleted. Claim 1 has been amended. The response contains a complete set of claims (3 pages) and a remarks section (1 page).

A one month extension of time is also being filed.